

# TENNESSEE

Epitome of Interesting Events That Are Transpiring Over the State

Chattanooga.—Episcopalians especially are watching with interest the progress of the million dollar endowment fund campaign for the University of the South at Sewanee. Sewanee is owned by 22 dioceses in the states of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee and Texas.

Nashville.—L. R. Campbell and Judge Joseph Higgins, attorneys for creditors, and John H. Dewitt, receiver of the Tennessee Valley Iron & Railroad Co., will attend the hearing in Washington before the board of contract adjustment of the war department, with reference to settlement of unpaid accounts due from the government on the construction of the wood distillation plant at Collinwood.

Memphis.—The Standard Oil Company has closed a lease for a tract of ground lying between the Frisco railroad and the river on which to erect giant receiving and storage tanks for fuel oil. It has been announced that the company is going to contest the reign of coal as fuel for a large number of plants here, due in a measure to the rising cost of coal.

Nashville.—In their deep interest in the women from other localities who are giving them valuable services, the Life & Casualty Insurance Company has inaugurated a praiseworthy movement. Two floors of the building occupied by the company have been fitted up as a rooming house and will be rented to them at the small sum of \$2 per week per room.

Nashville.—Holding that there was nothing in the proof to sustain the charge of alienation, Judge Harry A. Luck set aside the verdict for \$20,000 damages rendered by a jury in the Second Circuit Court last week in favor of Mrs. Thelma Rolan Robertson and against Mrs. Kate Campbell Robertson.

Jackson.—Bishop Isaac Lane of this city attended the dedication of the Lane Metropolitan Church in Cleveland, Ohio, named in honor of the venerable bishop of the C. M. E. Church. The bishop preached at the 11 o'clock service.

Columbia.—In addition to the expressing opposition to the Kenyon-Kendrick bill, the Middle Tennessee Farmers' Institute gave hearty endorsement of the dog law and pledged the efforts of the members to aid in its enforcement.

Nashville.—Department heads of the state administration were organized for the purpose of co-operation at a meeting held in the offices of Walter Bell, state fire prevention commissioner.

Hobbswald.—Sheriff Christian and Revenue Officers Scruggs, Davidson and Crain made a successful raid, capturing a wildcat still about seven miles from this place on Trace creek.

Memphis.—Plans are being laid for a big reunion of the Chickasaw Guards, which will include those who during the past generation were members of the famous organization.

Chattanooga.—E. S. Newbill, former financial secretary of the Chattanooga Barbers Union, was convicted in the criminal court on the charge of embezzlement of \$700 of union funds.

Memphis.—Nineteen nuns at St. Joseph Hospital of the Order of St. Francis have renounced allegiance to Germany and filed applications to become citizens of the United States.

Savannah.—The pastor of the Methodist church here held a special service Sunday morning in honor of the boys whose names appear on the service flag of the church.

Dayton.—The most successful teachers' institute in the history of Rhea county has just closed. There were eighty teachers enrolled during the two weeks' period.

Jackson.—Three hundred employees of the Southern Engine & Boiler Manufacturing Company were given an outing at Pelsenthal Springs, four miles east of here.

Chattanooga.—William Avery McAvoy, aged 16 years, was struck by a passing train at Annadel and died while being taken to a hospital.

Jackson.—The Jackson Enterprise Co., capitalized at \$25,000, has been organized here with both Jackson and Memphis capital interested. The company will take over the management and operation of the motion picture show of the Lyric Theater and the road shows of the Marlowe Theater.

Memphis.—Sister Dominica, of St. Cecilia Academy, Nashville, who is visiting Sacred Heart Institute here, suffered painful though not necessarily serious injuries when she was struck by an automobile.

## THOUSANDS OF FOREIGNERS SAIL FOR EUROPE



The prediction that an exodus of foreign born would mark the conclusion of the great world war became a reality recently when three liners, packed to capacity with foreigners, sailed for European ports. The photograph shows a partial view of the crowded decks of one of the vessels bound for Italy.

## WEST POINT GRADUATES TO STUDY UNDER PERSHING



Two hundred and twenty-seven second lieutenants, recent graduates of West Point, sailed for France to report to General Pershing for study of the strategy of war. They will visit the battlefields of Europe under the guidance of military experts.

## HUN SPY AND ACCOMPLICE ON WAY TO BE SHOT



Living under the guise of a Swiss this Prussian and his female accomplice were instrumental in the killing of 40 French soldiers. The photograph shows them being led to the place of execution.

## "COLUMBUS OF THE AIR" VISITS MOTHER



Lieutenant Commander Albert C. Reed recently visited his mother at the little Cape Cod town of South Hanson for the first time since making his transatlantic trip. His mother is shown pinning a victory rose on his coat.

## MUCH IN LITTLE

A sample of the type of bicycle saddles offered for sale in Denmark by German manufacturers has been received by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce from Commercial Attache Erwin W. Thompson of Copenhagen. This saddle may be examined at the New York district office of the bureau upon referring to File No. 40639.

Experimenters in Europe have found that slag from garbage incinerating plants is an excellent substitute for gravel in mixing with cement in the manufacture of concrete.

The population of Germany, according to religion, Protestants, Catholics and Jews, is given by Gustav Sundborg in "Webb-Minshall" as follows (before the war): Protestants, 35,400,000; Roman Catholics, 20,300,000; Jews, 615,023.

## What Are the Chances of Being Saved?

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TEXT—Are there few that be saved?—Matt. 13:12.

Some would say that the chances of being saved are not to be considered, for all are saved. Such a view is universalistic, out of which there will be a terrible awakening some day.

Some say that the vast majority of the human race will be saved. These claim that all infants and all persons not morally responsible will be saved anyway, and that all persons who are not incorrigibly wicked and depraved will be saved also. Even some who are recognized as evangelical teachers say that the number of the saved will be very much greater than the lost.

As it is only in the Scriptures that we have any information about the subject of salvation, it is the part of good judgment and common sense to inquire what the Bible teaches as to the number of the saved.

1. In the first place with some salvation depends in their view upon meeting certain moral obligations. If there is any moral obligation at all, it is enjoined in a book that says there is none that doeth good, no not one. All have sinned and come short of the glory of God. All have gone astray and every man has turned to his own way. If a man says he has no sin, he deceives himself and the truth is not in him.

2. The conditions of salvation as outlined in the Scriptures are so difficult of fulfillment that man does not love them. It being accepted that there is none that doeth good, there is none excepted from the conditions laid down in the Word of God, the leaving of all to follow Jesus, the renouncing of the world and the acceptance to meet these conditions, which imply also the recognition of Jesus Christ as the Son of God and the only Savior of man. If confessing Christians were polled and each examined as to his personal relationship to Jesus Christ, it would be found that a large number, possibly the majority, could not stand the test.

3. Let us note carefully the statements of Scripture as to the relative number of the saved. In the Old Testament the prophet asks, "Can the Ethiopian change his skin or the leopard his spots? Then may ye also do good that are accustomed to do evil." Jesus said on one occasion, "Many are called but few chosen."

On another occasion he said, "It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God." This prompted the question of his disciples, "Who then can be saved?"

In the Sermon on the Mount Jesus said, "Straight is the gate and narrow is the way which leadeth unto life and few there be that find it." In answer to the question, "Are there few that be saved?" Jesus replied, "Strive to enter in at the straight gate, for many, I say unto you, will seek to enter and shall not be able." There is an echo of this teaching in the words of Peter, "If the righteous scarcely can be saved, where shall the ungodly and sinner appear?" This was to say, if it is with the greatest difficulty that the righteous are saved, the chances of the ungodly are very few. We have also the teaching of the Lord as to some who will come before him at the great day of judgment and say, "We have eaten and drunk in thy presence and in thy name done many wonderful works," but he will say, "I never knew you."

Taking these conditions together, there is more than an intimation that a man falling short of the conditions should look upon his chances of being saved as comparatively small. If it is true, as Jesus said that he that believeth not on the Son of God shall not see life and that a man must believe on Jesus Christ in order to have everlasting life, it is likely that the vast majority of the people among us are not saved.

Jesus not only taught us that the gate is straight and the way narrow that leadeth to everlasting life, but he also taught that the way leading to death is wide and many as compared to the few on the narrow way are in it.

Drift into salvation is impossible. The will of man needs to be exercised in order to escape eternal perdition. To be saved a man must use his will definitely, immediately flee to Jesus Christ and accept him as Savior.

All Things Are God's  
As all men have all their powers and faculties from God so all men are obliged to act for God, with all their powers and faculties. As all things are God's so all things are to be used and regarded as the things of God.—William Law.



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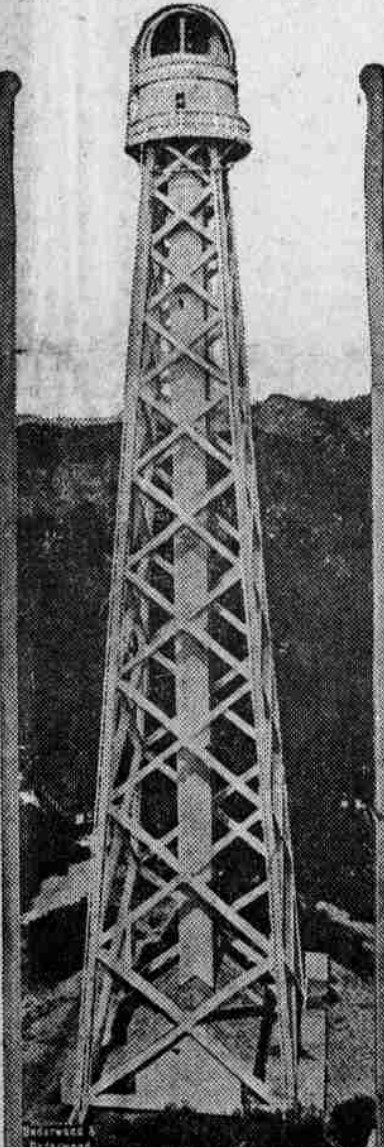
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## KEEPS TAB ON SUN



This is one of the tower telescopes, 180 feet in height, of the Mt. Wilson observatory, near Pasadena, Cal., used for astronomical observations of the sun.

## New York's "Ghetto."

A vivid picture of New York's lower East side is drawn by Mary Frank, librarian of the Rivington street branch of the New York Public Library, in The Century. She writes in part as follows:

"The street was crowded with people. Up and down, as far as the eye could range, rows of push-carts lined the curb. Gray-bearded patriarchs, mothers with babies in their arms, bargained for fruits and vegetables, hardware, handkerchiefs, hats, underwear, furbelows of a thousand kinds. Aged grandmothers, bent, stood aside from the crowd and gazed with tired and wrinkled faces on the rushing life; and there were children, children, children, dodging in and out, running up and down, everywhere. Over it all the flickering torches of the push-carts threw an Old-World light. This was the very heart of New York's Ghetto, a great city itself, of vague and distant boundaries, all within our Greater New York."

## Acetylene Popular.

The use of acetylene for illumination has reached such proportions in Denmark that nearly twenty different types of lamps have been invented there.